Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently amended) A torsion bar for application in belt winders for safety belts, comprising a bar (1) having [[on]] end sections; and ~~thereof~~ drive and/or locking elements arranged on the end sections for positive connection to respective devices, ~~the drive and/or locking elements (2, 3) embodied at the end sections for achieving~~ wherein different torques at constant sizes of the drive and/or locking elements (2, 3) [[and]] are achieved by exchanging the bar (1) with another bar having a varying diameter[[s]] ~~of the torsion bar (1) is~~ , the bar (1) being produced in one piece in a cold forming impact extrusion process from a non-ferrous metal.

2. (Previously Presented) A torsion bar according to claim 1, wherein the drive and/or locking elements (2, 3) at the ends thereof have equal or larger exterior dimensions than the torsion bar (1) itself.

3. (Previously Presented) A torsion bar according to claim 1, wherein the torsion bar (1) is made from aluminum in a cold forming process.

4. (Previously Presented) A torsion bar according to claim 2, wherein the aluminum has a 99.5 % by Vol. purity.

5. (Previously Presented) A torsion bar according to claim 1, wherein the torsion bar (1) is cylindrical or prismatic.

6. (Previously Presented) A torsion bar according to claim 1, wherein the drive and/or locking elements (2, 3) are provided as toothed wheels or as catching elements provided with flattenings.

7. (Previously Presented) A torsion bar according to claim 1, wherein a transfer section (4) is provided having a conical section or a flute between the drive and/or the locking elements (2, 3).

8. (New) A safety belt winder torsion bar system comprising a non-ferrous metal bar produced in one piece in a cold forming impact extrusion process (1) having end sections and a drive or locking element (2, 3) arranged on the end sections for positive connection to respective devices, wherein torque of the drive or locking elements (2, 3) is a function of the diameter of the bar (1).